SGH RIFLE RANGE

Location

SHELLCOTT ROAD KORUMBURRA, SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Municipality

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8021-0013

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Interpretation of Site

Site was used as an aiming area for a Rifle Range established in 1900 and used until just prior to WWII. Recreational clubs were formed and members used the site for approximately 40 yesars. Bullet casings, fragments of pottery and glass at the site probably relate to this recreational activity while the small shed likely relates to recent farming activity.

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12490

Property Number

History

Shooting clubs were established in the Korumburra district around 1900. This rifle range was used from this period until pre-WWII (Doug Boston, pers com, 1/3/02).

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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